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## **UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket Number: 54719.000051

**First Named Inventor:** **PICCARIELLO**

## Title: STABILIZED THYROXINE COMPOUNDS

TO: **MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**  
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1.  Fee Transmittal Form (original and duplicate)

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 Small Business Concern  
 Non-Profit Organization

Statement Enclosed

Statement Filed in Prior Application; Status Still Proper and Desired

3.  Specification - Total Pages: 20 (Including Abstract)

CLAIMS AS FILED						
	Claims Filed	Basic Fee Claims	Extra	Rate		Amount
				Large Entity	Small Entity	
Total Claims	52	20	32	\$ 18.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 288.00
Independent Claims	5	3	2	\$ 84.00	\$ 42.00	\$ 84.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				\$ 280.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00
<b>BASIC FEE</b>				\$ 750.00	\$ 375.00	\$ 375.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>						\$ 887.00
Assignment Recordation Fee						\$ 0.00
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>						<b>\$ 887.00</b>

## FEE TRANSMITTAL

## MAIL STOP Patent Application

Complete If Known

Application No.	To Be Assigned
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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5	3	2	x \$ 84.00	x \$ 42.00	\$ 84.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				\$ 280.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00
<b>TOTAL EXTRA CLAIMS FEES</b>						<b>\$ 512.00</b>

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4.  Drawings - Total Sheets: 3 (Fig(s). 1-3)
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- a.  Newly executed (original or copy)  
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  - b.  Copy from a prior application  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
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6.  Application Data Sheet
7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
8.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
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    - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (two copies); or
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9.  Assignee/Applicant: New River Pharmaceuticals Inc.
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- Assignment and Assignment Recordation Form Submitted Herewith

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Assignee of Record in Prior Application No. \_\_\_\_\_:

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10.  37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney
11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)
12.  Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449 and References  
 Copies of Information Disclosure Statement Citations
13.  Preliminary Amendment
14.  Return Receipt Postcard
15.  Priority is Claimed as Follows:  
CIP of U.S. Appl. 09/440,635 filed November 16, 1999  
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 Claim Benefit of the Following U.S. Provisional Application No(s).:  
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17.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_
18.  Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-Part of  
Prior Application No.: 09/440,635 filed November 16, 1999  
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Prior application information: Examiner S. Sharareh Group Art Unit 1617.

- Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 5b is marked)  
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is

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hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application papers.

- Complete Application Based on Provisional Application No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
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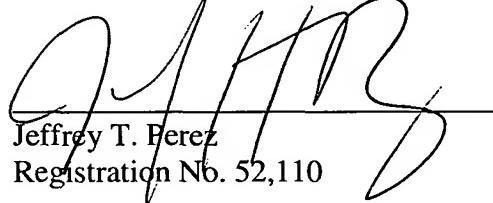
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